

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF HAWAII

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR  
GUN RIGHTS, RONDELLE AYAU,  
JEFFREY BRYANT,

Plaintiffs,

vs.

ANNE E. LOPEZ, IN HER OFFICIAL  
CAPACITY AS THE ATTORNEY  
GENERAL OF THE STATE OF  
HAWAII,

Defendant.

CIV. NO. 22-00404 DKW-RT

ORDER GRANTING MOTION  
FOR LEAVE TO WITHDRAW AS  
COUNSEL OF RECORD FOR  
DEFENDANT ANNE E. LOPEZ

**ORDER GRANTING MOTION FOR LEAVE TO WITHDRAW  
AS COUNSEL OF RECORD FOR DEFENDANT ANNE E. LOPEZ**

Before the Court is Deputy Attorney General Thomas Francis Mana Moriarty's ("Counsel") *Motion for Leave to Withdraw as Counsel of Record for Defendant Anne E. Lopez* ("Motion to Withdraw"), filed on January 20, 2023. ECF No. 31. Counsel seeks a withdrawal because as of January 20, 2023, Counsel is no longer employed by the Hawaii Department of the Attorney General due to Counsel's acceptance of employment with the Hawaii Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs.

The Court finds the *Motion to Withdraw* suitable for disposition without a hearing pursuant to Rule 7.1(c) of the Local Rules of Practice for the United States District Court for the District of Hawaii.

For good cause shown and pursuant to Local Rule 83.5, the Court GRANTS the *Motion to Withdraw*. Thomas Francis Mana Moriarty is hereby withdrawn as counsel for Defendant Anne E. Lopez. Remaining counsel will continue to appear on behalf of Defendant.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

DATED: Honolulu, Hawaii, January 23, 2023.



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Rom A. Trader  
United States Magistrate Judge

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